Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

IN THE CLAIMS:

1. (Currently Amended): An axial piston machine [[(1)]] having a swash plate [[(12)]] and a control piston [[(18)]] which contacts the swash plate [[(12)]] by way of a slide block [[(31)]] which is partially received by the swash plate [[(12)]] or the control piston [[(18)]] and can be inclined at least in a direction relative to the swash plate [[(12)]] or the control piston [[(18)]] and which can be inserted through an opening into a cutout [[(80)]] constructed in the swash plate [[(12)]] or the control piston [[(18)]], the slide block [[(31)]] being fixed in the cutout [[(80)]] by fixing regions [[(83)]] constructed in the cutout [[(80)]], ~~characterised in that,~~ wherein provided in the swash plate [[(12)]] or the control piston [[(18)]], there is a resilient element [[(86,91)]] which acts on the slide block [[(31)]] with a force directed towards the regions [[(83]] fixing the slide block [[(31)]].

2. (Currently Amended): An axial piston machine according to Claim 1, ~~characterised in that~~ wherein the resilient element [[(96, 91)]]is inserted into a receiving cutout [[(85, 90)]] arranged on the side opposite the opening.

3. (Currently Amended): An axial piston machine according to Claim 1 ~~or 2 characterised in that~~, wherein the resilient element [[(86)]] is a pressure spring.

4. (Currently Amended): An axial piston machine according to Claim 1 ~~or 2 characterised in that~~, wherein the resilient element [[(91)]] is a spring washer.

5. (Currently Amended): An axial piston machine according to ~~one of Claims 1 to 3 characterised in that,~~ Claim 1, wherein a spacer [[(88)]] is arranged between the resilient element [[(86)]] and the slide block [[(31)]].

6. (Currently Amended): An axial piston machine according to ~~one of Claims 1 to 5, characterised in that~~ Claim 1, wherein the slide block [[(31)]]and the cutout [[(80)]] have a spherical geometry with a common center point (M) and the cutout [[(80)]] forms a relief cut in the swash plate [[(12)]] or the control piston [[(18)]].

7. (Currently Amended): An axial piston machine according to Claim 6, ~~characterised in that~~ wherein the fixing regions [[(83)]] are formed by the relief cut of the cutout [[(80)]].